ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 25 and March 29, 1949, from Buffalo and Bergen, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 50 100-pound bags of flour at Boston, Mass., in possession of the Thurman Co.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 25, 1949. The Thurman Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for conversion into animal feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

15008. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 29 Bags. * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27012. Sample No. 62210-K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 15, 1949, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 20, 1948, from Black Rock, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 29 100-pound bags of flour at Watertown, Mass., in possession of G. Capaldi & Son, Inc.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: May 19, 1949. G. Capaldi & Son, Inc., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered. The court ordered that the product be released under bond, to be brought into compliance with the law by segregation and denaturing of the unfit portion, which was to be used as animal feed. The segregation operations resulted in the salvage of 6 bags of flour which were fit for human consumption and the denaturing of the remaining 23 bags.

15009. Adulteration of whole wheat flour. U. S. v. 25 Bags * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27309. Sample No. 5940-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 7, 1949, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 28, 1949, from Pittsford, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 25 100-pound bags of whole wheat flour at Chelsea, Mass.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: June 30, 1949. Pittsford Flour Mills, Inc., Pittsford, N. Y., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be converted into animal feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

15010. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 29 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27370. Sample Nos. 53368-K to 53371-K, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about May 26, 1949, Southern District of Mississippi.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 16, 1949, by the Moundridge Mill & Elevator Co., from Moundridge, Kans.

PRODUCT: 61 100-pound bags and 98 25-pound bags of flour at Tylertown, Miss.

LABEL, IN PART: "Pure Food Flour Enriched Phosphated [or "Self Rising"]."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 29, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be denatured and delivered to a charitable institution, for use as animal feed.

15011. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 187 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27397. Sample Nos. 60702-K, 60703-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 2, 1949, Western District of Tennessee.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 11, 1949, by the Moundridge Mill & Elevator Co., from Moundridge, Kans.

PRODUCT: 247 25-pound sacks of flour at Trenton, Tenn.

LABEL, IN PART: "Pure Food * * * Flour * * * Enriched Self-Rising [or "Enriched Phosphated"]."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: August 29, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be sold for use other than for human consumption.

MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

15012. Adulteration of corn grits. U. S. v. 56 Bags * * * (F. D. C. No. 27147. Sample No. 51811-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 16, 1949, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 29, 1948, from Mount Vernon, Ind.

PRODUCT: 56 100-pound bags of corn grits at Bellaire, Ohio.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects and insect fragments. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 5, 1949. The Matz Brewing Co., Bellaire, Ohio, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for conversion into animal feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

15013. Adulteration of popcorn. U. S. v. 6 Bags * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27334. Sample No. 1847-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 17, 1949, Southern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 7, 1949, by J. W. Bond, from Henderson, Ky.